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TO: Minerals File

FROM: Anthony A. Gallegos, Senior Reclamation Specialist *aa*

RE: Site Inspection, Star Stone Quarries, Inc., Santa Barbara Mine, S/013/006, Duchesne County, Utah

Date of Inspection: April 14, 2000  
Time of Inspection: 1705 - 1730  
Conditions: Overcast, Windy  
Participants: Tony Gallegos, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection: To examine the small mine site while in the area

A GPS location point was taken at the main quarry area and labeled "santab1." The sandstone layers are being excavated in this main quarry area. The main disturbance was paced as approximately 105 feet (north to south) by 205 feet (east to west). This approximation of the main disturbance area does not include several roads or trails which lead from the main area to the existing road. Photographs of the main quarry area were taken looking toward the northeast and the southeast

At this time there is small mound of soil located at the east end of the disturbed area. There were several small piles of grubbed vegetation, or slash material, along the borders of the main disturbance. Additional photographs were taken looking over the site toward the southwest to the northwest. The nearby state highway SR40 is visible in the background of these photos. There were at least three roads tracked in from the access road to the main quarry area. These roads appear to have been created by repetitive traffic and minor clearing of vegetation. There had not been much blade work on the majority of these roads.

There were six or more wooden pallets stacked on the existing road near the turnoff onto the access road to the site. A number of sandstone slabs were piled up in an area along the access road located just off the paved road. No personnel or equipment were at the site. The small pad area where the slabs were stored was paced as approximately 62 feet by 55 feet.

The site disturbance is currently less than five acres in area. The Division has no safety or environmental concerns with this site in its current condition.

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cc: Lon Thomas, Star Stone Quarries  
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